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Des Moines, IA
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Beef

IMPS#	Description	Wts	Lbs/Lds	Avg	Change Prv/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3					
113A	Chuck, 2-pc	72-119 Lbs	4,227	136.16	8.05
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 Lbs	322,072	141.66	3.99
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 Lbs	2,774,014	175.91	8.18
120	Brisket	6-14 Lbs	1,083,982	135.20	2.09
123A	Short Rib	1-4 Lbs	378,588	121.99	4.48
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 Lbs	54,660	147.00	2.37
161	Round, Bnls	42-80 Lbs	281,213	158.75	4.31
168	Inside Round	14-26 Lbs	1,113,480	166.29	6.46
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 Lbs	176,619	153.21	3.28
Coarse ground Blend 81%			2,016,501	116.93	-0.83
Coarse ground Blend 85%			109,232	138.20	-6.66

Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items

Boneless Chuck 85%			125.28	-3.45
Top Inside Round	12-16 Lbs		182.19	6.62

Boneless Processing Beef/Beef Trimmings, Fresh

90% Chemical Lean	1,734,579	132.69	2.25
50% Chemical Lean	5,019,491	42.88	2.01

Pork

Pork Loins, Fresh 1/4" Trim	21 Lbs/dn	24.0	105.06	-4.27
Boston Butt, Fresh 1/4" Trim	5-10 Lbs	19.5	93.51	-3.70
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 Lbs/	18.0	116.72	-7.37

Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20 Lbs	7.0	82.29	2.40
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	20-23 Lbs	9.0	81.22	3.12

Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16 Lbs	6.0	101.33	3.33
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	16-18 Lbs	4.0	100.00	3.33
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		11.0	67.41	0.81
72% Chemical Lean		6.0	58.00	0.77

Dollars per Hundredweight - Equated to FOB Omaha Basis

Dairy Market News
Madison, WI
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Butter

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities

This Week	Last Week
1.2825 - 1.3525	1.3375 - 1.4075

American Cheese

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars per pound

This Week	Last Week
1.4700 - 1.7800	1.4050 - 1.7025

Fluid Milk = September 2006

Base prices paid for raw milk by Class I milk processors, dollars per gallon

Product	Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Yr
Class I Base (3.5%)	0.9329	-0.0104	-0.2451
Whole Milk	0.9074	-0.0112	-0.2334
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	0.7800	-0.0176	-0.1795
Fat-free Milk	0.6248	-0.0251	-0.1142

Poultry Market News
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Broiler/Fryers

Whole Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound, Delivered
New York 65.57 Chicago 64.85 Los Angeles 76.90

Parts Bulk

Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound
Northeast (Delivered) Breast B/S 150.91 Leg Quarters 37.46
Southern States (FOB) Breast B/S 146.25 Leg Quarters 32.50

Young Turkeys

Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Frozen, Per Pound, Delivered
Hens 8-16 Lbs Toms 16-24 Lbs
Eastern 83.00 83.00
Central 81.94** 81.94**
Western 81.88** 81.88**
**Based on offers.

Table Eggs

Large, USDA Grade A, White, In Cartons, In Volume, Cents Per Dozen

Delivered Warehouse	Delivered Store Door Metropolitan Areas
Northeast 61.00	
Southeast 64.50	New York 66.00-70.00
Midwest 56.50	Chicago & MW 59.00-67.00
S. Central 64.50	S. California 87.00-90.00

Egg Products

Liquid, Non-pasteurized, T racklot Volume, FOB, Per Pound
Whole 22.00-24.50 Whites 23.00-29.00 Yolks 31.00-32.50
Frozen, 30Lb Containers, Wholesale Per Pound

	Whole	Whites
Eastern (Less Than Trucklot)	42.00-49.00	48.00-55.00
Central	39.00-45.00	43.00-52.00
S. Calif. (Less Than Trucklot)	44.00-48.00	47.00-50.00

Dried, Wholesale Prices, Dollars Per Pound, In Containers (Range)

Whole 1.34-1.53	Yolks 1.10-1.25	Blends 1.17-1.35
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Fruit & Vegetable Market News
Washington, DC
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Fruits

Apples, Gala, WAExFancy, containers tray pack, 100's, 20.00
Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District, WA
Strawberries, flats 12-1 pint baskets, med-large, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 9.90
Oranges, Shippers 1st Grade, 7/10 bushel cartons, 113's, 16.50
South & Central District, CA - Valencia
Peaches, Various Yellow Flesh Varieties California Well Matured,
cartons 2 layer tray pack, 40-42's, Central & South San Joaquin Valley 10.95
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, 24 inch bins per lb, 45 count, .15
San Joaquin, CA

Vegetables

Broccoli, Bunched 14's, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 9.73
Carrots, medium-large sacks 48 1-lb film bags, Kern District, CA 12.35
Celery, 2 1/2 doz, cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 13.35
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24's, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 9.00
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1-1/9 bushel cartons, large, South NJ 10.50
San Joaquin Valley, CA 9.35
Tomatoes, Vine Ripes, 25 lb. cartons, 6x6, MI 19.00
Vine Ripes, flats 2 layer, 4x5's, Southern CA & Mexico Crossing
through Otay Mesa 16.95
Onions, 50 lb Sacks, Yellow Hybrid, Jumbo, Columbian Basin, WA 10.50
Yellow Grano, Jumbo, North and East Points, CO 12.00
Potatoes, Russet Norkotah, U.S. One, 50lb cartons, 70's, 9.00
Upper Valley Twin Falls- Burley District and Western ID

Simple Average of Week ending Prices of Stated Grades or Stock of Generally Good
Merchantable Quality and Condition. Prices FOB Shipping Point Basis. Dollars per
Unit.